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Applicants:

Peter Eriksson, et al.

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Application No.: 10/031,410

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For: A METHOD FOR SELECTIVE ELECTROFUSION

OF AT LEAST TWO FUSION PARTNERS HAVING CELL-LIKE MEMBRANES

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Sir:

AMENDMENT

Applicants are in receipt of the Office Action dated April 13, 2006 and request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.